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For: AN OPTICAL TRANSCEIVER HAVING AN OPTICAL RECEPTACLE OPTIONALLY
FIXED TO A FRAME

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants ask to be informed of the status of this patent application. A Response To Notice To File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application was filed on June 25, 2004.

Applicants are unaware of any action on the merits in this case by the U.S. Patent Office since the filing date of February 13, 2004.

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